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| APPLICATION NO. | FILING DATE | FIRST NAMED INVENTOR | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. | CONFIRMATION NO. |
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| 09/521,788      | 03/09/2000  | Michael S. Borella   | 99,720              | 3011             |

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISTRIBUTED GENERATION OF UNIQUE RANDOM NUMBERS FOR DIGITAL TOKENS

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(MBHB Case No. 99-720)

In the Application of:

Borella, et al.

Serial No.: 09/521,788

Filing Date: March 9, 2000

For: Method and System for Distributed  
Generation of Unique Random Numbers for  
Digital Tokens

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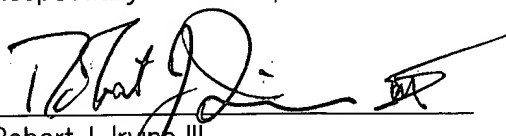
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